

South Country Library

Support for Parents (2 pages)

Bright by Text

Because we are a FamilyPlace library, we can offer this free text service to all of you! Parents and caregivers can receive text messages tailored to their child's age with helpful developmental tips. **Text FAMILYPLACE to 274448 then follow the prompts.** *También disponible en español.*

View the flyer for more info:

<http://libraryaware.com/309/Files/Display/2136b2b6-7924-4c59-8294-55eb6edb117e>

Ver el folleto en español:

<http://libraryaware.com/309/Files/Display/69d4d392-45a8-4f0d-9d31-8c7cbcd0404f>

Early Childhood Virtual Learning Summer Series

Parents, caregivers, and teachers with preschoolers: Check out these free online summer workshops provided by the LI Regional Partnership Center and Early Childhood Family and Community Engagement Center.

Click here to view the flyer:

<http://libraryaware.com/309/Files/Display/b21312aa-2ac2-4352-8c84-a909af815ac7>

Click here to view the complete free course offerings and register:

<https://www.mylearningplan.com/webreg/catalog.asp?H=1&D=16666>

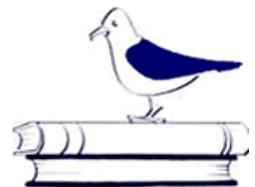
You may also register by emailing Post-CCI@LIU.edu

Video: CNN & Sesame Street — Standing Up To Racism

The show speaks with kids about racism, the recent nationwide protests, embracing diversity and being more empathetic and understanding.

<https://www.cnn.com/2020/06/06/app-news-section/cnn-sesame-street-race-town-hall-app-june-6-2020-app/index.html>

Long Island Parenting Institute is offering **free video chats to any parent that needs support** and answers for today's concerns. Call 631-533-5055 or email kathryn.cannino@eac-network.org to schedule a video chat with an expert.



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Child Care Tuition Scholarships for Essential Worker Parents

Parents who are essential workers may now obtain tuition scholarships to send their children to the Way to Grow Child Care/Learning Center, located at 655 Montauk Highway in the Swann Nursery Commons in East Patchogue. Way to Grow's educational program – which serves a full demographic spectrum of young people – offers developmentally appropriate programs with specialized curriculum for a variety of ages.

<http://www.childcaresuffolk.org/CARES-Scholarship-for-Essential-Workers.aspx>

Video: CNN & Sesame Street — Coronavirus Town Hall

Covers the basics of what is Coronavirus, as well as topics such as face masks, washing hands, dealing with big feelings, and spending so much time home.

<https://www.cnn.com/2020/04/25/app-news-section/cnn-sesame-street-coronavirus-town-hall-april-25-2020-app/index.html>

Practical Tips & Resources: Talking to kids about COVID-19

<http://ccesuffolk.org/resources/talking-to-kids-about-covid-19-novel-coronavirus>

Free Book (ages 5-9): Coronavirus – A Book For Children

<https://nosycrow.com/blog/released-today-free-information-book-explaining-coronavirus-children-illustrated-gruffalo-illustrator-axel-scheffler/>

Web Site: Health Emergencies from Sesame Street in Communities

<https://sesamestreetincommunities.org/topics/health-emergencies/>

Article: A support guide for parents raising babies and toddlers through the coronavirus crisis

<https://qz.com/1830026/resources-for-babies-and-toddlers-stuck-at-home-due-to-coronavirus/>

Article: Agonizing over screen time? Follow the three C's

<https://www.nytimes.com/2020/04/13/parenting/manage-screen-time-coronavirus.html>

Podcast: Parenting Tips CCE Suffolk

<https://soundcloud.com/user-492333083>

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